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Sir,

The rebels held a meeting in No. 14 Rue Chapais At 7 p.m. 26th instant for the purpose of electing a successor to Chen Chi He 陳其美. Sun Yat Sen 孫逸仙, Li Ping Shu 李平書, Han Hwe 韓恢 and Tsai Tui 蔡培火 were present. Chui Tsung 屈臣氏 was unanimously selected, but he declined to accept the post. It was announced that a further meeting would be held in three days time. The brother and wife of Chen Chi He went to the residence of Sun Yat Sen at No. 713 Avenue Joffre and created a disturbance on 26th instant.

The Shanghai Arsenal has sent 100 gunners to Nanking. They travelled in civilian clothes. It is reported that the situation is becoming critical at Sungkiang.

Colonel Zau Ying Bang 趙雲龍, one of Chiangchun Fong's staff officers, is constantly travelling between Shanghai and Nanking. Every time he visits this city, he has secret conferences with General Yang.

The troops at Woosung have instructions to hold themselves in readiness to leave that place. It is thought that they will be used against Chokiang.

Your Obedient Servant,

William Munro

Chief Detective Inspector.

Captain Superintendent of Police.

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